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12 April 1954

MEMORANDUM FOR: Col. J.C. King, Chief, WH

SUBJECT : Comments on HUL-A-378

1. It uses Sec State's permissive remarks re anti-U.S. gambit to a degree that leftist press could quote Congress as being equally anti-U.S., I believe that the "Neither U.S. nor Russia" theme works for the Soviets as it tends to support one of the major Soviet objectives, i.e., isolation of the U.S.

2. It attacks ~~as~~ far distant and of little interest to Latin American Soviet States rather than making the point that international Communism (it says it is only a "tiny minority" in Latin American countries) is threatening Latin America. This argument as presented could juxtaposed to the above paragraph treatment tend over a period of time to polarize in the minds of Latin Americans the struggle as being between the U.S. and Russia, and therefrom develop a neutralist attitude in Latin America.

3. It does not seem sufficiently to define Soviet intervention as not being limited to intervention as Latin Americas have come to define it.

4. It states, in effect, that Communism's error <sup>is</sup> "the confusion of the means with the ends". In this respect it is not anti-Marxist but only anti-Stalinist. Stalinism is becoming means that the USSR recently seems to be abandoning.

5. Otherwise the approach is allright.

6. Nutting's covering letter states it is not to be considered his recommendation for the final product, but is left to Rolender's judgment. If it is to become Rolender's responsibility, as I infer to be the case, it should have had prior Headquarters approval. I had thought that Nutting understood that all policy PW positions such as this require Headquarters approval. His failure in this case, i.e., that of a Station not under PBSUCCESS jurisdiction, is not understandable.

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General Deputy - WH

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1.		APR 7 1954	APR 7 1954	[ ]	<b>RYBAT/PBSUCCESS</b> By HAND 2- Since this congress is by & for known anti-comm. I believe that this call misses the boat in that it is an indictment of Communism not of direct Soviet intervention in the W.H. area. In this case to spell out the facts of intervention would strengthen the "call" why must this be anti-American? - Congress why for "hispanoid"? Asst. national chairman enough! As for the Indians they (most of them) have lived communistic for centuries before the arrival of the white man. JMB. 5-6 see my enclosed memo. Cable 50 + 12 Apr [ ]
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5-7 draft cable of corrections initiated.